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INFO AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA

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SUBJECT: ALLEGATIONS OF CIA ARMS DELIVERIES TO GUATEMALA

1. LEADING GOVERNMENT-OWNED ALGIERS DAILY "EL-MOUDJAHID" FOR SEPTEMBER 9-10 QUOTES ALLEGATIONS OF OTHERWISE UN-IDENTIFIED "PUERTO RICAN WEEKLY CLARIDAD" THAT CIA HAS SHIPPED SIGNIFICANT QUANTITY OF ARMS TO GUATEMALA.

2. TEXT OF SHORT ITEM AS FOLLOWS: "PUERTO RICAN WEEKLY CLARIDAD HAS REVEALED THAT SIGNIFICANT SHIPMENT OF VARIOUS ARMS HAS BEEN SENT BY CIA TO GUATEMALA. THIS INFORMATION STEMS FROM DISCOVERY MADE BY EMPLOYEES OF "AMERICAN AIR LINES" DURING INSPECTION OF SO-CALLED COMMERCIAL MERCHANDISE BEING TRANSPORTED BY C-727 TRANSPORT OF 'FLYING TIGER' AIRLINE THAT LANDED IN SAN JUAN LAST JULY 28. MACHINE-GUNS, GRENADES, MUNITIONS, AND OTHER WAR MATERIAL WERE DISCOVERED BY EMPLOYEES, WHO WERE INSPECTING CARGO. THIS IS SECOND BATCH OF ARMS DESTINED FOR GUATEMALA TO BE DISCOVERED. LATE LAST JUNE, GOVERNMENT OF BARBADOS HAD ANNOUNCED INTERCEPTION OF CARGO OF ARMS IN PLANE HEADED FOR THIS CENTRAL AMERICAN COUNTRY ENGAGED IN 'FRONTIER DISPUTE' FOR ANNEXA-

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